

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Russell et al. Attorney Docket No: APPL0002
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DISTRIBUTED APPLICATION

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Bellevue, Washington 98004

April 25, 2006

TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:

The following is in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 19, 2006. Applicants are hereby submitting a corrected Preliminary Amendment that addresses issues raised in a Final Office Action dated August 25, 2005, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 20, 2005, and which was submitted with an RCE on January 9, 2006. This response resubmits the Preliminary Amendment, with corrections to the identification of Claim listings. Applicants again request that the above-identified application be amended as set forth below and that the Examiner reconsider the application in connection with a Request for Continued Examination, which was filed concurrently with the Preliminary Amendment on January 9, 2006, in view of these amendments and the Remarks that follow. The claims are amended (with corrected listing identification) as set forth below.